

Schedule of events: SPARKS Literary Festival 2011

10.20 a.m. Opening remarks: Dr. Noel Roy, Dean of Arts *pro tempore*; Mary Dalton, Festival Director

Session 1 : Chair: Mary Dalton

(10.30-12.00) Readings: 10.30-11.30; discussion: 11.30-11.50

Authors: Kevin Major; Marie Wadden; Larry Mathews; Bernice Morgan.

Noon-1 pm.: lunch break in festival lunch room (room 1032) for audience (bring your own or buy a snack there; eat in the SPARKS Lunch Room)

Session 2: Chair: Larry Mathews

(1.00-2.20) Readings:

Authors: Dana Evely; Samuel Thomas Martin; Libby Creelman; James Langer.

Session 3: Chair: Jennifer Lokash

(2.30-4.00) Readings 2.30-3.30 p.m.; discussion: 3.30-4.00 p.m.

Authors: Kate Evans; Al Geehan; George Murray; Jane Urquhart.

Session 4: Chair: Jessica Grant

(4.30-6.00) Readings: 4.30-5.30 p.m.; 5.30-6.00 p.m.;

discussion, followed by announcement of haiku competition winner: 5.30-6.00 p.m.
Authors: Emily White; Stan Dragland; Robin McGrath; Andy Jones.

Closing remarks: Mary Dalton

6.00 p.m. Reception in room 1032 in School of Music.

10.00-a.m.-6 p.m. Book and journal displays available. Authors will be signing books after their reading session.

The festival is free and open to all. Free parking is available in Lot 15B, next to (and east of) the School of Music. For more information on the haiku competition, please visit www.arts.mun.ca/events/SPARKS.php